



Freezing Rain February 13-14, 2021

Decision Support Briefing #3
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2021

What Has Changed?

- ✓ Winter Weather Advisory, mainly for Freezing Rain, expanded to include the entire area
- ✓ Freezing drizzle is possible tonight into Sunday morning.









Main Points

Impacts

Location

Timing

Freezing Rain



Sleet becomes freezing rain allowing for difficult travel conditions.

Southern/Central New Jersey, southeastern Pennsylvania, Delmarva.

Freezing rain comes to an end late tonight or early Sunday morning.

Freezing Drizzle



Freezing drizzle allowing for difficult travel conditions.

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Across eastern
Pennsylvania and northern
New Jersey.

Freezing drizzle comes to an end early Sunday morning.

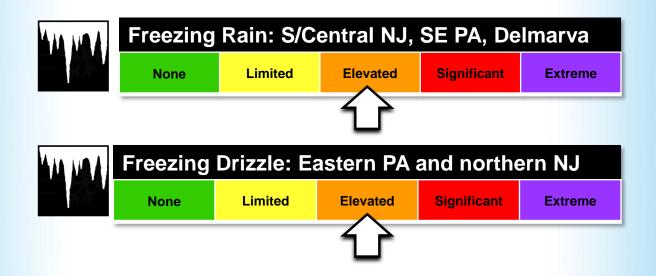








Summary of Greatest Impacts





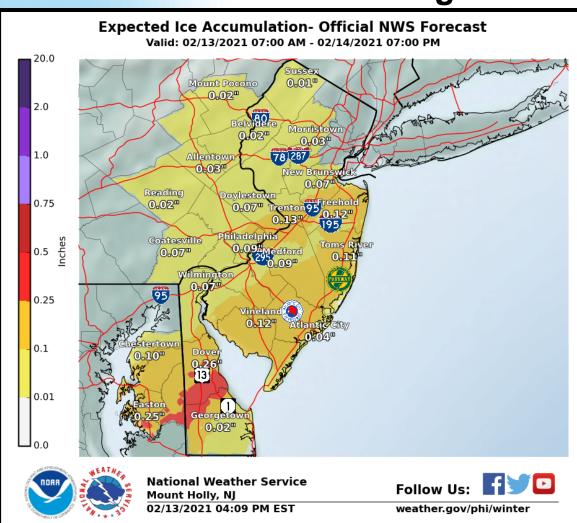


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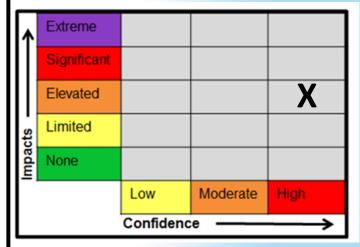




Forecast Ice Accumulation Through Sunday



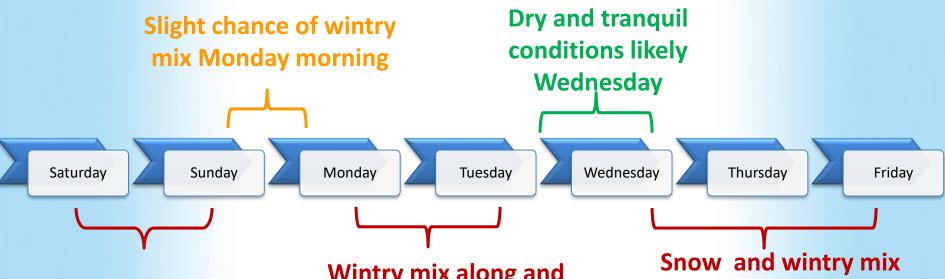
 High confidence for ice accretion across southern NJ, southeastern PA, and Delmarva through early Sunday morning.







A look at the week ahead



Sleet and Freezing Rain turning to Freezing Drizzle Wintry mix along and northwest of I-95 starting Monday afternoon and continuing into Tuesday afternoon

Snow and wintry mix likely for most of the area. Precipitation could start as early as early Thursday morning and possibly lingering through the day on Friday







Event Summary

- ✓ A Winter Weather Advisory is in effect for eastern Pennsylvania, all of New Jersey, the eastern shore of Maryland, and Delaware.
- ✓ Sleet and freezing rain will transition over to all freezing rain across south/central NJ, southeastern PA, and Delmarva this evening. Precipitation will continue into tonight before tapering off.
- ✓ For the southern Poconos, Lehigh Valley, Berks County and northwestern New Jersey, there is a chance of freezing drizzle starting late this evening into Sunday morning.
- ✓ This is the first of several systems which will affect the region with potential wintry precipitation into the new week. The main periods we are concerned about are Monday night into Tuesday and again Wednesday night through Friday.

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